



JUDICIAL PROFILE

John Sticht began his legal career as a law clerk with the Arizona Court of Appeals shortly after obtaining his law degree from the University of Arizona. He spent the next decade working as a private practioner, prosecutor, staff attorney with the Court of Appeals, serving as that court's chief staff attorney for more than five years. He left the Appeals Court job in January 1984, when he was appointed as a Superior Court Judge. His experience has proven to be a solid foundation for his reputation as a wise and patient judge. The majority of his tenure on the bench has been spent as a Civil Department trial judge. He has also tried criminal and domestic relations cases and has been a resourceful judge who has taken complex and lengthy cases reassigned from other judges' calendars.

Judge Sticht is an Arizona native who was born in Douglas. As a participant in State Bar seminars, he has shared his legal experience and judicial expertise about various aspects of the appeals processes, summary judgements and special actions.

